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Hotel Man Swears He Saw Stavsky and Achmeir Together on Murder Night

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, Oct. 10.—Evidence that Abraham Stavsky, 38-year-old Revisionist, and Aba Achmeir, both being held in connection with the assassination of Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, Zionist labor leader, were seen talking with two other men in a Tel Aviv hotel room on the night of June 16 was presented before the court here today by Asher Hazan, Caucasian landlord. The evidence contradicts the alibi that Stavsky was in Jerusalem at the time, which was the night of the murder. Hazan owns the house in Tel Aviv where Stavsky and Achmeir stopped during the week of the assassination.

The court was aroused when Stavsky shouted "liar" and "bandit" at Hazan. The presiding magistrate warned that statements made at the hearing would endanger the lives of the three accused of the murder.

Hazan contradicted himself, however, when he was cross-examined by Stavsky about the time he first communicated with the police. Hazan denied that he had bought a re-

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356 "Jewish" Authors on Thuringian Blacklist; Order Library Reexamination

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 10.—Reexamination of all public libraries was ordered by the Ministry of Education of Thuringia here today in order to assure elimination of all belles lettres which are the creations of "dis-integrated Jewish spirits", and scientific works by Jewish authors. Publication of such works is prohibited in the future.

A list of prohibited writers, the majority of whom are Jews, has been published.

The list includes 206 novelists and poets, 12 literary and art critics, 138 historians and political writers. Simultaneously, Erwin Loewe, Berlin publisher, announced that during the winter he will publish a series of works written exclusively by famous Jewish writers, biographers and historians. The first volume of the series is to appear before Hanukkah, December 13 to December 20.

LEAGUE COMMISSION RECOGNIZES RIGHTS OF MINORITIES BY AFFIRMING 1922 RESOLUTION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

GENEVA, Oct. 10.—The sixth commission of the League of Nations in which all member nations have representations today adopted the Assembly's 1922 resolution by reaffirming it against the continued opposition of the Reich delegates.

The resolution, which must now go before the League Assembly and receive the unanimous vote of delegates before it is adopted, originally proclaimed the obligation of all League members to maintain the same standard of rights toward minorities embodied in certain special treaties.

The second paragraph now extends the 1922 resolution, interpreting it merely in these words:

"The Assembly considers that the foregoing principles are applicable to all categories of nationals who differ from the majority by their race, language and religion." The original wording said that no interpretation excluding any category could be admitted as valid.

Dr. Friedrich von Keller of Germany declared, following the adoption of the resolution, that it must be confined to actual minorities and that the Jews do not constitute a minority.

Nevertheless the discussion at the sessions of the sixth commission and the subcommittee clearly showed that the second part of the resolution distinctly aims to include Jewish treatment by the Nazis in the Reich. Von Keller insisted that the

question of the Jews is an internal matter in Germany and on these grounds he rejected the second part of the resolution.

In League circles it is declared that the German attitude is an open confession of discrimination against the Jews, and of a determination to continue the anti-Jewish repressions.

Germany's opposition to the resolution at the session of the Assembly tomorrow is bound to discredit the country, and isolate it from 55 states which favor adoption.

Status of Commissioner

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

GENEVA, Oct. 10.—The compromise reached yesterday by the League of Nations subcommittees on the reappointment of a High Commissioner who is to deal with the question of minorities, was superseded today by a new resolution submitted to the second committee. The resolution reads as follows:

"The League Council will appoint

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Cuban President Gives Jewish Group Assurance His Regime Befriends Race

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 10.—President Grau San Martin yesterday received the Jewish delegation that visited him to protest against the anti-Jewish agitation current in Cuba. The president assured the delegation, which represented the Cuban Jews, that he and the regime which he headed was friendly to the Jews and acknowledged the usefulness of the Cuban Jewish population.

President Grau declared that his government was in no way responsible for the propaganda against the Jews and pointed out that Cuba was going through an abnormal period.

The Cuban chief executive asked the Jewish delegation to come directly to him in case of any danger to the Jews and declared that he would always be willing to help.

At the same time the adjutant to the President promised that he would see to it that the arrested Jews were freed quickly.

Brussels Revokes Licenses Of 97 Jewish Stall Holders In Market; Protest Made

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BRUSSELS, Oct. 10.—The Municipality has notified 97 Jewish stall-holders in the city market that their licenses are to be cancelled beginning today, and that they no longer will be permitted to carry on trade.

While the decision was not directed exclusively against Jews but against foreigners generally, the Jewish traders will be most seriously affected. The Union of Jewish Traders has protested to authorities with the hope of having the order revoked.

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Social Service Volunteers Requested by Mrs. Borg

Declaring that the present need for volunteer assistants among the health and welfare agencies of New York City is unprecedented except for the last year of the World War, the Association of Volunteers of the Welfare Council of New York City issues a public call for men and women—particularly women—to serve as volunteers in hospitals, clinics, settlements, thrift shops, relief societies, health education agencies and practically every type of welfare organization in the city.

The statement, signed by Mrs. Sidney C. Borg, vice-president of Association, says frankly that the Association is seeking applications only from those persons who have considerable leisure time and who have no need for or expectation of qualifying for a salaried position. Volunteers are sought only from persons twenty-one years or older, who can contribute regularly at least two days a week.

Volunteers are requested to apply in person or by mail or telephone to the Association of Volunteers of the Welfare Council of New York City at 122 East 22nd Street, Gramercy 5-7000.

All Prussia to Emulate Berlin Race Study Week

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—The so-called week for studying the science of race ended here today. Numerous lectures for adults and children were held on the importance of racial purity and the necessity of not associating with Jews. The authorities consider the week a success and have proclaimed a similar week for all Prussia.

New Maternity Hospital Building Will Be Start of East Side Medical Centre

The most modern methods of maternal care will become available to downtown mothers with the completion of the new building of the Jewish Maternity Hospital, the oldest Jewish hospital of its kind in the United States.

The project, which will be started shortly on a plot adjacent to Beth Israel Hospital on Stuyvesant Park East, will mark the beginning of a lower East Side medical centre, designed to minister to the entire downtown area.

How the Jewish Maternity Hospital has served to break down Old World inhibitions against childbirth in hospital beds and instilled in immigrant mothers an appreciation for improved methods of pre- and post-natal care was described by Dr. Nathan Ratnoff, medical director of Beth Israel Hospital and secretary of the board of directors of Jewish Maternity, who has been associated with the women's hospital since its inception twenty-seven years ago.

"When the hospital was opened," Dr. Ratnoff said, "our first great problem was to overcome the feeling of Jewish women that children should be born at home and never in hospitals. To pass the confinement period at a medical institution was completely outside the range of their understanding and very far, indeed, from their desires. There existed, as a carry-over from Old World beliefs, the thought that there was something degrading in the experience."

"Our hospital did succeed in removing this prejudice. It gave the poorest of the poor in the most thickly populated district in the world a modern maternity hospital—and taught them to avail themselves of its services."

"Especially hazardous to maternal health was the European practice of hiring a 'watchwoman' to perform the post-natal duties normally executed by a trained nurse. These 'watchwomen', usually poor neighbors—even more straitened in circumstances than the mothers—took care of the house and the children and the mother. Their knowledge of sanitation was non-existent, with the result that maternal diseases and complications were very frequent."

"In recognition of this condition, one of the earliest acts of the Jewish Maternity Hospital was the founding of a training school for graduate obstetrical nurses—the first of its kind anywhere. The work of these nurses has been so extensive that we have succeeded in virtually abolishing the use of watchwomen."

"As a result of the present mer-

Milwaukee Resentful At Luther Visit; Prosecutor Refuses to Act Against 16

(J.D.B. Special Correspondence)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 3.—Resentment against Dr. Hans Luther, German Ambassador to the United States, for his visit here last Wednesday on the invitation of the Milwaukee Club, crystallized in the refusal of Max Raskin, city attorney and a member of the Socialist Party, to prosecute 16 of the 23 rioters held in connection with a demonstration against the German government.

Seven rioters are scheduled to be tried on the charge of unlawful assemblage October 13. They were arrested Sept. 27 together with 16 other persons who waylaid Luther on his entrance to the Club waving banners with the legends "Down with Luther, Hitler's bloody agent" and "Hitler's government is rotten", and shouting similar outbursts of condemnation.

The Socialist Party is at work on an investigation of the case through a specially appointed committee.

An editorial in The Milwaukee Sentinel said in part:

"An unofficial visit here by the diplomatic representative of a troubled nation, at a time when such a visit was certain to provide an opportunity for just what happened (the rioting) as well as to provoke a certain amount of sympathy with the policies of his government, was ill advised."

Dr. Steinberg, Prof. Fineman Will Address Local Avukah

Avukah, the American Student Zionist Federation, will hold its annual rally Sunday evening, at 8:30 o'clock, in the auditorium of the Society for the Advancement of Judaism, 15 W. 86th Street. The speakers of the evening are Professor Chaim Fineman of Temple University, Philadelphia, and Rabbi Milton Steinberg of the Park Avenue Synagogue. Professor Fineman, who spent last year in Palestine, will describe the life and work of the youth there, and the relationship to the American Jewish Youth Movement. Rabbi Steinberg will speak on the place of the student in the Jewish Youth Movement.

ger with Beth Israel, the new maternity institution will combine the advantages of an expanded and modernized plant with the facilities of a completely equipped general hospital to provide for complications and diseases attendant on maternity."

Washington Awaits Filing Of Anti-Nazi Complaint to Start Immigration Inquiry

**Congressman Dickstein Charge That
300 Propagandists Entered Il-
legally to Be Looked Into**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 10.—The Bureau of Immigration of the United States Department of Labor is awaiting the filing of a complaint before beginning an investigation of the charge that "about 300 persons have recently entered the United States as employees or servants of German consulates to disseminate propaganda for the Nazi government of Germany."

Congressman Samuel Dickstein, chairman of the Committee on Immigration, made the accusation Tuesday in New York when he announced that as chairman of the Committee on Immigration he would begin an unofficial investigation into Nazi activities in the United States.

No complaint has been filed with the Department of Labor concerning the Nazi activities here and the department has not heard from Congressman Dickstein, it was stated by officials. The department, however, is taking a keen interest in the matter.

In New York Congressman Dickstein "announced" that his investigation, which was unofficial, since the House of Representatives was not in session, would be begun next week and that the hearings would be in the Immigration Committee rooms in the office building of the House of Representatives.

"Information has reached me that the Nazi government maintains a propaganda bureau in the United States which is heavily financed by the resources of the German government. The objective of the bureau and its activities consist of spreading Nazi propaganda in the United States, with the ultimate ob-

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Exclusive Tennis Club

In Berlin Bars Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 10.—The most exclusive tennis club of Berlin, the Rotweiss, on whose grounds most of the international matches have been played, today introduced the Aryan clause in its by-laws excluding all Jews from membership.

The president of the Weimar Artisans Chamber, in a warning issued today, prohibited all artisans from accepting as pupils foreign Jews coming to Weimar to study arts and crafts. The president claimed that these Jews "return abroad and establish businesses which compete with Germans."

Jewish Attorney Jailed For Five Months Freed; South African Is Beaten

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 10.—Max Hirschberg, prominent Jewish attorney, who has been in prison during the past five months, was released today and permitted to resume his practice on account of his being a war veteran. The reason for his arrest was unstated.

A South African Jewish citizen, Koenig, was attacked by Nazis while visiting Frankfurt because he failed to salute the Nazi swastika.

The president of the Frankfurt police called on the British consulate offering apologies and promising to establish the identity of the assailants. The question of granting compensation to Koenig is under discussion.

Emanuel N. Mohl to Retire From Palestine Economic Corp. on 50th Birthday

The Palestine Economic Corporation announces that it has been advised by Emanuel N. Mohl that he intends to tender his resignation and go into retirement on the occasion of his 50th birthday, which falls this month.

Mr. Mohl has served the Corporation since its inception and has rendered valuable service to the company as well as to Palestine.

Among other things, he reorganized the former Kupath Milvah, now the Loan Bank Ltd., from a semi-philanthropic to a social-economic institution. He was important in introducing approved building methods into Palestine and in pioneer work for planning small houses for workers, artisans and farmers at a moderate cost.

He carried on successful negotiations for the acquisition of the Haifa Bay Lands for the Keren Kayemeth L'Israel as well as for this corporation and administering it in conjunction with the Keren Kayemeth L'Israel since then. He participated in the introduction of an American Water Drilling Unit into Palestine which the Palestine Economic Corporation owns and operates in conjunction with the PICA.

Property of Hugo Simon, Banker, Is Confiscated

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 10.—The Reichsanzeiger announced yesterday that the government had confiscated the property of Hugo Simon, partner in the Banking House of Bett Simon, who was the Prussian Minister of Finance in 1919 and affiliated with the Independent Labor Party.

German Church Synods Sent World Alliance Resolutions Against "Aryan Paragraph"

**Representing 37 National Councils,
Executive Protests Putting of
Jews into "Inferior" Place**

Representing the 37 national councils of the World Alliance for International Friendship throughout the civilized world, the International Executive Committee of the Alliance has sent to the Protestant General Synod and other synods representing the churches of Germany a formal protest against Germany's ban against ministers and other church officers of non-Aryan birth. A copy of the resolution adopted by the Committee at its meeting in Sofia, Bulgaria, on September 21, was received today by the New York office of the World Alliance. The resolution follows:

"The International Executive Committee of the World Alliance, meeting at Sofia (September 14-21, 1933) taking note of the fact that racial discrimination in any part of the world, whether because of color or on any other grounds, constitutes a great danger to peace and the welfare of humanity, considers necessary an emphatic declaration, in which the super-racial character of the Gospel is avowed.

"As members of many churches representing cultures and coming from many lands, but all united in a common allegiance to our Lord Jesus Christ, we confess with shame our many sins of transgression against our brothers of other races and color. In a feeling of brotherhood and responsibility with all the churches of the world, the Alliance, while recognizing the right of every country to safeguard the integrity of its own national life, is nevertheless deeply concerned by the treatment inflicted upon persons of Jewish origin and connection in Germany.

"We especially protest against those measures taken by the state which bear so heavily upon large numbers of the German citizens, and put the Jews into an inferior class, of society.

"We deplore the fact that the 'Aryan Paragraph' has been indorsed and reenacted by vote of the Prussian General Synod and other synods representing the churches of Germany, and thus by this means serious disabilities have been put upon ministers and church officers, who by chance of birth are non-Aryan.

"Against these actions and measures we earnestly protest, believing them to be; in their conception of race and race relations, contrary to the explicit spirit and teaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

Dr. Henry A. Atkinson of New York
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ject of overthrowing our government and of installing in its place a dictatorship on the Nazi model," said Congressman Dickstein.

"If Congress were in session, I would have asked for an official resolution to make a full and proper Congressional investigation. Meanwhile, however, it is necessary that determined steps be taken so that we may know the source of these activities and that proper Congressional action may be taken at the proper time.

"Friends of the Hitler brand of government now in this country will be asked to come before the committee and explain themselves, in order to clear the atmosphere that has been spreading throughout the United States by movement of alien or German propaganda in the manner outlined."

One of the prospective witnesses before the committee is Bernard Ridder, publisher of the New Yorker Staats-Zeitung. Mr. Ridder declared that he had received a visit recently from Heinz Spanknoebel, who showed him credentials from the German government as leader in establishing pro-Nazi organizations in the United States. Mr. Ridder declared that Spanknoebel told him that he must print fewer pro-Jewish articles and more pro-Hitler material if he wished to receive any consideration when he visited Germany again. Mr. Ridder ordered Spanknoebel out of his office, he said.

Later Spanknoebel admitted his visit to Mr. Ridder and his attempt to influence the editorial policy of the Staats-Zeitung.

Mr. Ridder also declared that the only reason for the continued existence of the United German Societies, now in the hands of the pro-Nazi elements in this country, was the fact that the leaders of the various societies had been informed by pro-Nazi organizers that any resistance would bring punishment on their relatives in Germany.

Minority Rights Recognized By League Commission

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the High Commissioner and Governing body whereby the Commissioner is responsible to the Governing body, both constituting autonomous organizations. The Commissioner will submit periodical reports on the fulfillment of the task of guaranteeing minority rights, including the financial administration of the Governing body. This body alone will forward the reports to states which are likely to be able to assist in the action of the Commission."

On the suggestion of England, the subcommittee also decided to request that the Council nominate for membership in the Governing body representatives of private organizations.

The resolution was passed unanimously, German delegates refraining from casting ballot.

American Jewish Congress Cables to the League

The American Jewish Congress, following a special meeting held last night at its offices, sent a cable to the Council of the League of Nations expressing gratification with the appointment of a League Commissioner to deal with the problems of Jewish refugees in flight from oppression in Germany.

Expressing satisfaction with the appointment of the Commissioner as being in conformance with the resolution adopted by the Geneva World Jewish Conference, September 5th to 7th, and addressed to the League, the cable expresses the hope that the operation of the Commissioner outside the aegis of the League is a technicality which will not prevent him from receiving the official cooperation of the governments of the world.

German Church Synods Sent World Alliance Resolutions Against "Aryan Paragraph"

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York, General Secretary of the World Alliance, now in Geneva, was instructed to present the viewpoint of the churches, as represented by the World Alliance, to the League Assembly, if and when the question of the persecution of the German Jews arises.

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volver from Stavsky. Stavsky admitted in a voluntary police statement that he possessed a revolver which he had brought from Poland and had sold it to Hazan many months ago.

Eliahu Tessler contradicted Stavsky's explanation as to how the wounds on his thumb occurred. In a police statement the Revisionist had said that several days before the murder he had pricked his finger in a bookshop and that the shop assistant had directed him to a druggist for a bandage and dressing.

The shop assistant now claims that he doesn't remember Stavsky having cut his finger, or directing him to a pharmacy.

Stavsky's claim that he had dined in a Jerusalem restaurant Friday evening, the night of the murder, was contradicted by two constables, Zemel and Fuch, who presented evidence that they had dined in the same restaurant that evening but they had not seen Stavsky.

Prosecutor Shitrit exhibited to the court a bullet extracted from the body of Arlosoroff. He also disclosed a blood-stained silk shirt which Dr. Arlosoroff had worn on the evening of his death, and a hole in its right side.

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